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METHOD OF FILLING A MOLD WITH AN ORGANIC MATERIAL IN THE LIQUID STATE TO MOLD AN OPTICAL COMPONENT, AND MOLDING METHOD

INCLUDING SAID FILLING METHOD

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Sir:

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A concise explanation of the relevance of these items is that these references were discovered during any searches they or their client had made, or that they were considered in the preparation of the application. Further, a concise description of the relevance of these items is given on page 6 of the present specification. Note the U.S. counterpart to EP 0 715 946 is U.S. 5,547,618, copy also attached.

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